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Applicant:	Rickey D. Hart	
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**RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the final Office Action dated March 18, 2008.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.